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Attorney Docket No.: INVIT1220-1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Heyman et al. Art Unit: 1637
Application No.: 09/937,112 Examiner: C.B. Wilder
Filed: May 13, 2002 Confirmation No.: 4705
Title: METHODS OF OBTAINING FULL-LENGTH NUCLEIC ACID
SEQUENCES USING *E. Coli* TOPOISOMERASE III AND ITS
HOMOLOGS

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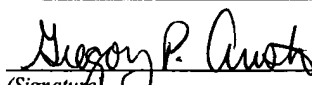
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TRANSMITTAL SHEET

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for the above-identified application please find:

1. Amendment in Response to the Office Action mailed September 25, 2003 (17 pgs.);
2. Exhibit A (6 pgs.);
3. Petition for Extension of Time (2 Months) (2 pgs. in duplicate);
4. Check No. 554530 in the amount of \$420.00; and
5. Return Receipt Postcard.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8	
I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail on this date, February 25, 2004, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.	
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Applicants claim **LARGE ENTITY** status in the above-identified application.

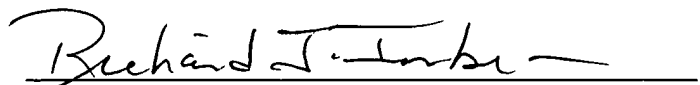
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For	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Small Entity Rate	Large Entity Rate	Calculations
Total Claims	33	34	0	x \$09	x \$18	\$0
Independent Claims	2	3	0	x \$43	x \$86	\$0
Multiple Claims	-	-		\$145	\$290	\$0
2 Mth. Ext. of Time				\$210	\$420	\$420
					TOTAL FEE	\$420

Enclosed is Check No. 554530 in the amount of \$420.00 in payment of the Two (2) Months extension of time fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be associated with this communication, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: February 25, 2004


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